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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND HUMAN RESOURCES PURSUANT TO SECTION 302(b) OF THE CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET ACT OF 1974

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Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on Labor and Human Resources, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany S. Con. Res. 120]

The Committee on Labor and Human Resources, having been allocated certain budget authority and outlays by the managers of the conference on the Senate Concurrent Resolution 120, reports the division of such allocations among programs within its jurisdiction for fiscal year 1986 and fiscal year 1987.

BACKGROUND

Under section 302(a) of the Congressional Budget Act, the statement of managers accompanying a conference report on a concurrent budget resolution includes an allocation of budget total among the committees of the Senate and the House of Representatives that have jurisdiction over spending authority.

Section 302(b) of the Act requires the committees to allocate such spending authority among either their subcommittees or the programs over which they have jurisdiction. This section also requires the committees to divide their allocations into amounts that are controllable and amounts that are mandatory under existing law. After consultation with appropriate committees of the other House, the committees are required to report the allocations they have made.

ALLOCATION RECEIVED BY THE COMMITTEE

The amended allocations received by the Committee from the managers of the conference were in two parts: (1) direct spending authority and (2) entitlements that require appropriation action.

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The direct spending authority allocation was made to this committee of original and complete jurisdiction for the federal programs and activities assumed in the allocation.

Entitlements that require appropriations were allocated both to this committee and to the Appropriations Committee of the Senate. These amounts, therefore, are reflected in the reports filed by both committees as required by section 302(b).

The committee received the following allocations:

[Dollars in millions]

Direct spending authority:	
Budget authority:	
Fiscal year 1986	$4,071
Fiscal year 1987	3,618
Outlays:	
Fiscal year 1986	3,618
Fiscal year 1987	1,995
Entitlements that require appropriations:	
Budget authority:	
Fiscal year 1986	5,049
Fiscal year 1987	5,051
Outlays:	
Fiscal year 1986	5,031
Fiscal year 1987	5,112

ALLOCATIONS MADE BY THE COMMITTEE

The committee has made its allocations among the several programs within its jurisdiction as shown in the accompanying tables. All figures are CBO estimates as of July 10, 1986.

The total amounts of funds allocated in this report equal the allocations in S. Con. Res. 120. (Differences may be attributed to rounding.)

ALLOCATIONS MADE BY THE COMMITTEE: FISCAL YEAR 1986

[Dollars in millions]

Program	Direct spending jurisdiction		Entitlement programs requiring appropriations	
	Budget authority	Outlays	Budget authority	Outlays
National Science Foundation donations	$5	$5		
Vocational and adult education	7	7		
Higher education	0	−32		
Guaranteed student loans			$3,042	$3,063
Truman Memorial Scholarship Fund	4	2		
National Foundation of the Arts and Humanities: Gifts and donations (Humanities)	(1)	1		
Retirement pay and medical benefits for commissioned officers			83	80
Office of Assistant Secretary for Health: Miscellaneous trust funds	8	13		
Special benefits: Longshore and harbor workers' compensation benefits—Federal funds			5	5
Special workers' compensation expenses: Longshore and harbor workers employers assessments	78	68		
Black Lung Disability Trust Fund			674	634
Railroad retirement	3,749	2,205		
Black lung benefits			998	1,002
Federal Employees' Injury Compensation Act			247	247
Withdrawals by Railroad Retirement Board for unemployment compensation payments	220	179		
Total	4,071	2,448	5,049	5,031

(1) Less than $500,000.

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ALLOCATIONS MADE BY THE COMMITTEE: FISCAL YEAR 1987

[Dollars in millions]

Program	Direct spending jurisdiction		Entitlement program requiring appropriations	
	Budget authority	Outlays	Budget authority	Outlays
National Science Foundation donations	$5	$5		
Vocational and adult education	7	7		
Higher education	0	−608		
Guaranteed student loans			$3,194	$3,158
Truman Memorial Scholarship Fund	4	3		
National Foundation of the Arts and Humanities: Gifts and donations (Humanities)	(1)	(1)		
Retirement pay and medical benefits for commissioned officers			83	83
Office of Assistant Secretary for Health: Miscellaneous trust funds	8	10		
Special benefits: Longshore and harbor workers' compensation benefits—Federal funds			4	4
Special workers' compensation expenses: Longshore and harbor workers' employers assessments	84	79		
Black Lung Disability Trust Fund			549	641
Railroad retirement	3,296	2,330		
Black lung benefits			968	973
Federal Employees' Injury Compensation Act			253	253
Withdrawals by Railroad Retirement Board for unemployment compensation payments	214	169		
Total	3,618	1,995	5,051	5,112

[1] Less than $500,000

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